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BANGLADESH APPLICATION FOR UN MEMBERSHIP --

BANGLADESH AMB KARIM, SEEKING US SUPPORT FOR SC ACTION ON BD UN MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION, TOLD AMB BENNETT HE HOPED CONSULTATIONS COULD BE COMPLETED IN TIME TO PERMIT SC MEETING WEEK OF MAY 20. HE SAID BD HAD HOPED BE ADMITTED DURING SPECIAL GA BUT CHINESE INDICATED UNWILLINGNESS CHANGE POSITION UNTIL ALL POW'S ACTUALLY RETURNED. SINCE LAST PAKISTAN POW'S RETURNED APRIL 30, KARIM THOUGHT THERE SHOULD BE NO REMAINING GROUNDS FOR CHINESE OBJECTION. HE UNDERSTOOD BHUTTO MAY WISH RENEW FORMAL RELATIONS WITH BD RELATIVELY SOON, WHICH SUGGESTS BHUTTO MAY ENCOURAGE FAVORABLE CHINESE ACTION. KARIM PERSONALLY THOUGHT IT GOOD IDEA TO HAVE EARLY ACTION TO PUT DISTANCE BETWEEN BD APPLICATION AND POSSIBLE GUINEA BISSAU APPLICATION LATER IN YEAR.
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WORLD DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE --

WDC AD HOC COMITE CHAIRMAN HOVEYDA (IRAN) ASKED AMB SCALI FOR "OFFICIAL VIEWS OF US ON FIRST PARA OF GA RES 3183" (XXVIII). HE SAID HE TOLD HIS COMITE COLLEAGUES HE KNEW IN ADVANCE USUN'S REPLY WOULD BE IT HAD NOTHING TO ADD TO GA COMITE 1 STATEMENT. SCALI TOLD HIM THAT SURMISE ENTIRELY CORRECT, BUT HE WOULD BE PLEASED TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH HOVEYDA ON BILATERAL BASIS. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- OURTEL 1758)

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IRANIAN AMB HOVEYDA REITERATED REQUEST FOR US SUPPORT FOR IRANIAN CANDIDACY TO FILL ASIAN SLOT IN EXPANDED CCD. ULINOV (USSR) TOLD MISOFF HOVEYDA ALSO APPROACHED SOVIETS, WHO MERELY REFERRED QUESTION TO MOSCOW (CONTRARY TO EARLIER IRANIAN ASSERTION SOVIET REP MALIK PROMISED SUPPORT). (CONFIDENTIAL -- OURTEL 1759)

BRAZIL AND POPULATION
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WHEN ASKED WHY HE HAD BEEN PURSUING ASYG SIPILA SO REMORSELESSLY THROUGH PAGES OF COMMISSION ON STATUS OF WOMEN REPORT, THOMPSON-FLORES (BRAZIL) REPLIED THERE WAS NOTHING PERSONAL, HE THOUGHT REPORT GOOD, BUT HIS GOVT'S POSITION WAS THAT REPORT SHOULD NOT BE PRESCRIBED AS GUIDE ON POPULATION PROGRAMMING AND FAMILY PLANNING, TONE OF RES VI WAS TOO MANDATORY, AND GOB COULD NOT ACCEPT ANY EXTERNAL ORGANIZATION LAYING DOWN RULES FOR BRAZIL TO FOLLOW IN

REGARD TO ITS POPULATION PROGRAM. (CONFIDENTIAL --
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SPECIAL MEASURES --

AT WEO MEETING, INFO SHEET WAS DISTRIBUTED ON GA PRES BENITES' (ECUADOR) MEETING MAY 9 ON SPECIAL MEASURES WHICH GAVE AFRICAN, EE, ASIAN, AET AND LA GROUP PROPOSALS ON COMPOSITION OF AD HOC COMITE ON SPECIAL MEASURES. BENITES PLANS MEETING OF CHAIRMEN OF REGIONAL GROUPS MAY 15 HOPEFULLY TO DECIDE ON FORMULA FOR PARTICIPATION AND MEETING DATES. US,UK,FRANCE, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY AND FRG INDICATED INTEREST IN SERVING ON COMITE, AND TURKEY, SPAIN AND AUSTRALIA SAID THEY MAY WISH TO JOIN. (OURTEL 1764)

CHILEAN HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUE IN SOCIAL COMITE --

DUTCH AND BRITISH DELS AGREED ON MILD RES WHICH EXPRESSES CONCERN AND CALLS ON CHILEAN JUNTA TO RESTORE AND SAFEGUARD BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS. CHILEANS SAID THEY COULD ACCEPT IT, THOUGH ATTEMPTING CHANGE WORD "RESTORE." SOVIETS COULD UPSET CONSENSUS BY MOVING CONDEMNATORY AMENDMENTS, BUT WEO COSPONSORS' STRATEGY IS TO REFUSE ACCEPT THEM AND REQUIRE VOTE. BRAZILIAN REP TOLD MISOFF HE WOULD SUPPORT THIS STRATEGY AND COULD BRING ALONG LA'S WITH POSSIBLE EXCEPTION MEXICO AND ARGENTINA. DUTCH ABANDONED ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN APPROVAL OF DRAFT DECISION ALONG LINES PROPOSED BY AMNESTY INT'L. (OURTEL 1760)

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DEBATE ON HUMAN RIGHTS CONTINUED IN COMITE IN P.M. MAY 10 AND A.M. MAY 13, WITH STATEMENTS BY 15 ORE DELS. CONCERN ABOUT POLICY OF GOVT OF CHILE WAS EXPRESSED BY REPS UK, NETHERLANDS, FRG, YUGOSLAVIA, ITALY, AUSTRALIA, ROMANIA, POLAND, MONGOLIA, UKRAINE, AND USSR. REPS USSR AND CHILE CONTINUED EXCHANGES OVER HR VIOLATIONS IN CHILE AND USSR. STATEMENTS ON RACIAL DISCRIMINATION WERE MADE BY CONGOLESE REP AND ON SLAVERY BY REPS UK, MEXICO AND NETHERLANDS.

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BAZAN (CHILE), WHO DENIED THAT CHILE WAS SYSTEMATICALLY
VIOLATING HR, MADE DISTINCTION IN HIS REPLIES BETWEEN
SPEAKERS IN "SOVIET ORBIT" AND OTHER DELS WHERE HUMAN RIGHTS
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WERE RESPECTED. HE ASSERTED HR COMMISSION SHOULD BE COMPOSED

OF EXPERTS SERVING IN PERSONAL CAPACITY, NOT REPRESENTING GOVTS, IN ORDER TO AVOID DISTORTIONS WHICH HAD OCCURRED. SOVIET REP, IN SEVERAL REPLIES, REJECTED SLANDEROUS STATEMENTS AND KEPT REITERATING THAT JUNTA REP COULD NOT SAY ANYTHING TO CONTRADICT EVIDENCE OF MASSIVE HR VIOLATIONS IN CHILE. CHILEAN REP'S VIEWS WERE ALSO REJECTED BY GDR.

WANG (CHINA) RESTATED VIEWS ON PALESTINIANS AND ISRAELI ZIONISTS, RACIST POLICIES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA, AND WAR PREPARATIONS OF TWO SUPERPOWERS AND THEIR DESIRE FOR WORLD HEGEMONY. HE THOUGHT HR COMMISSION HAD ADOPTED SOME "FAIRLY GOOD" RESES. ON OTHER HAND, REPS UK, NETHERLANDS AND ITALY WERE NOT SATISFIED WITH RESULTS OF LAST SESSION OF HR COMMISSION.

ISRAELI OBSERVER SPOKE OF OPPRESSION OF JEWISH COMMUNITIES IN SYRIA AND IRAQ AND PLIGHT OF SOVIET JEWRY. SOVIET REP REJECTED ISRAELI'S ATTEMPTS TO DISTORT FACTS. POLISH REP ALSO SPOKE OF HR VIOLATIONS IN ISRAELI-OCCUPIED TERRITORIES, AND EGYPTIAN REP REPLIED TWICE TO ISRAEL.

COMITE ALSO TOOK UP COMPLAINT TO ILO BY LESOTHO GENERAL WORKERS UNION THAT FIVE LESOTHO WORKERS HAD BEEN SHOT TO DEATH AND 12 INJURED BY SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE IN LABOR DISPUTE SEPT. 11, 1973, IN MINING COMPLEX IN CARLETONVILLE AREA.

ECONOMIC COMITE--

COMITE ADJOURNED BRIEF MEETING MAY 13 WITHOUT TAKING ACTION ON DRAFT RES (L. 548) ON WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE WHICH WOULD INVITE REPS OF LIBERATION MOVEMENTS NOW RECOGNIZED BY OAU AND/OR LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES TO PARTICIPATE IN CONFERENCE WITHOUT RIGHT TO VOTE. CHAIRMAN AKHUND (PAKISTAN) URGED DELS TO CONSULT FURTHER ON DRAFT WITH VIEW TO REACHING AGREEMENT OR, IF NOT, TO SUBMIT OWN TEXTS.

AD HOC COMITE ON RATIONALIZATION--

COMITE, IN P.M. MAY 10 AND A.M. MAY 13, ADOPTED SERIES OF CONFIDENTIAL

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REVISED RULES OF PROCEDURE OF ECOSOC. DISCUSSION MAY 10 CENTERED ON SOVIET PROPOSAL THAT DRAFT RULE CONCERNING ADOPTION OF AGENDA BE AMENDED TO STATE UNLESS COUNCIL DECIDED OTHERWISE AND EXCEPT FOR IMPORTANT AND URGENT QUESTIONS, IF DOCUMENTATION ON ITEM NOT CIRCULATED IN ALL WORKING LANGUAGES SIX WEEKS BEFORE OPENING OF REGULAR SESSION, ITEM WOULD BE AUTOMATICALLY POSTPONED TO FOLLOWING SESSION. IT WAS SUPPORTED BY PAKISTAN, POLAND AND ROMANIA, BUT OPPOSED

BY UK, FRANCE, JAMAICA AND AUSTRALIA. BRAZIL SUGGESTED COMPROMISE FORMULA; JORDAN, EGYPT AND UK AND AMENDMENTS; SOME DELS INSISTED ON DELETING "AUTOMATICALLY," WHILE OTHERS WISHED IT RETAINED. CHAIRMAN DEFERRED FURTHER CONSIDERATION TO FACILITATE INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS.

ROMANIANS INTRODUCED AMENDMENT TO PROPOSE RULE 33, WHICH USDEL FOUND UNACCEPTABLE. DURING CONSULTATIONS ROMANIANS PROPOSED AS ALTERNATIVE LANGUAGE: "SUCH NEW PROGRAM SHALL BE IMPLEMENTED EITHER WITHIN CURRENT PROGRAM BUDGET OR BY ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS TO BE APPROVED BY GA." FRENCH SUGGESTED ADDING "IN ACCORDANCE WITH FINANCIAL REGULATIONS AND RULES OF UN." ROMANIANS ACCEPTED IT, US AGREED TO ROMANIAN-FRENCH PROPOSAL, AND IT WAS THEN APPROVED BY COMITE WITHOUT OBJECTION. (OURTEL 1767)

CPC--

AD HOC COMITE ON RATIONALIZATION WILL CONSIDER BRAZILIAN DRAFT RES WHICH RECOMMENDS: SUSPENDING 15TH SESSION OF CPC; CONSIDERING IN COORDINATION COMITE SUBSTANTIVE ITEM IN CPC PROVISIONAL AGENDA; DEFERRING CONSIDERATION OF ITEM ON MACHINERY FOR PROGRAM AND COORDINATION; AND REPLACING 1974 JOINT CPC/ACC MEETING BY MEETING OF HEADS OF ECOSOC DELS WITH ACC WHICH WOULD DEAL WITH QUESTION OF PRIORITIES IN ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND HR FIELDS. (OURTEL 1762)

TRADE LAW COMMISSION--

UNCITRAL BEGAN SEVENTH SESSION MAY 13 AND (IN A.M.) ELECTED JAKUBOWSKI (POLAND) AS CHAIRMAN AND BEGAN CONSIDERATION OF PROGRESS REPORT INTRODUCED BY CHAIRMAN BERRERA-GRAF (MEXICO) OF WORKING GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL SALE OF GOODS. CONFIDENTIAL

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SLOAN, DIRECTOR, UN GENERAL LEGAL DIVISION, WHO ALSO MADE STATEMENT, EXPLAINED CURRENT SESSION WOULD BE BRIEF, PARTLY DUE TO FACT UN CONFERENCE ON PRESCRIPTION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWED UNCITRAL AND BECAUSE NONE OF DRAFTS BEING PREPARED BY WORKING GROUPS REACHED STAGE WHERE DETAILED CONSIDERATION REQUIRED THIS YEAR. COMMENTS BY DELS RELATED TO WHEN WORKING GROUPS' WORK WOULD BE COMPLETED. END UNCLASSIFIED SCALI

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